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For: AEROSOL GENERATING DEVICES  
AND METHODS FOR GENERATING  
AEROSOLS HAVING CONTROLLED  
PARTICLE SIZES

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:


In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Official Action dated April 19, 2004, Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, the invention covered by Group II, Claims 19-34.

Early and favorable consideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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